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CODEL SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

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SUBJECT: CODEL SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

1. A DELEGATION OF APPROXIMATELY EIGHT MEMBERS OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE ACCOMPANIED BY WIVES, TWO STAFF MEMBERS AND OFFICIALS OF THE DISCOVER AMERICA TOURISM TRAVEL ORGANIZATION, INC. (DATO) PLAN VISIT ADDRESSEE POSTS NOVEMBER 8 TO 22. SENATE RESOLUTION 347, CO-SPONSORED BY MORE THAN SEVENTY SENATORS, PENDING IN THE SENATE, AUTHORIZES THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE UNCLASSIFIED

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TO UNDERTAKE AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY OF THE POLICY

AND ROLE OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IN TOURISM IN THIS COUNTRY. IN THIS CONNECTION THE CODEL PLANS TRAVEL EUROPE TO SURVEY AND EVALUATE THE OFFICIAL TOURISM ORGANIZATIONS AT ADDRESSEE POSTS AND TO DISCUSS ON A FIRST-HAND BASIS THROUGH MEETINGS WITH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS THE NATIONAL TOURISM POLICIES AND ORGANIZATIONS OF THESE COUNTRIES TO DETERMINE THE MANNER IN WHICH THEY ACT TO CARRY OUT NATIONAL POLICY.

2. ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PROGRAM (INCLUDING HOTELS) ARE BEING WORKED OUT FOR THE COMMITTEE BY THE DISCOVER AMERICA TRAVEL ORGANIZATION, INC. (DATO). A PRELIMINARY ITINERARY FOLLOWS: PLEASE NOTE THAT MEETINGS WITH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND RECEPTIONS AND DINNERS ARE BEING HANDLED BY DATO:

11/8 LV WASHINGTON

11/9 AR LONDON

11/10 FREE

11/11

A.M. MEETING WITH MINISTERS, DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY BUILDING;
LUNCH - BUFFET - ENGLISH SPEAKING UNION;
P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;
DINNER - BRITISH PARLIAMENT BUILDING - HOST: BRITISH TOURISM AUTHORITY.

11/12

A.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;
LUNCH - RECEPTION AND LUNCHEON - HOST: US TASK FORCE;
P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;
EVENING - DEPART FOR ZURICH.

11/13

A.M. - MEETING WITH MINISTERS;
LUNCH - RECEPTION AND LUNCHEON - HOST: US TASK FORCE;
P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;
DINNER - RECEPTION AND DINNER - HOST: SWISS NATIONAL TOURIST OFFICE.

11/14

A.M. - DEPART ZURICH FOR PARIS;
11:00 - MEETING WITH MINISTERS;
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LUNCH - RECEPTION AND LUNCHEON - HOST: US TASK FORCE;
P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;
DINNER - FREE.

11/15

A.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;
LUNCH - FREE;
P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;
DINNER - RECEPTION AND DINNER - HOST: FRENCH COMMISSARIAT

OF TOURISM.

11/16 - FREE;

11/17 - FREE.

11/18

A.M. - DEPART FOR MADRID;

LUNCH - FREE;

P.M. - FREE;

DINNER - FREE.

11/19

A.M. - MEETING WITH MINISTERS;

LUNCH - OPEN;

P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;

DINNER - RECEPTION AND DINNER - HOST: MINISTRY OF
INFORMATION AND TOURISM.

11/20

A.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;

LUNCH - RECEPTION AND LUNCHEON - HOST: U.S. TASK FORCE;

P.M. - DEPART FOR DUBLIN.

11/21

A.M. - MEETING WITH MINISTERS;

LUNCH - BUFFET - HOST: BORD FAILTE;

P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;

DINNER - RECEPTION AND DINNER - HOST: BORD FAILTE.

11/22

A.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;

LUNCH - RECEPTION AND LUNCHEON - HOST: U.S. TASK FORCE;

P.M. - TECHNICAL WORKING SESSIONS;

DINNER - A NIGHT AT ABBEY TAVERN/TAYLOR'S HALL.

11/23 - DEPART FOR U.S.

3. POSTS WILL BE REQUESTED TO MEET AND ASSIST AND PROVIDE
TRANSPORTATION. SEPTTEL WILL FOLLOW AS SOON AS DETAILS ARE
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RECEIVED FROM THE COMMITTEE.

4. IN THE EVENT THAT POSTS WISH TO HONOR THE CODEL AT A
SOCIAL FUNCTION, LISTED BELOW ARE AVAILABLE DATES:

LONDON - NOVEMBER 9 - EVENING AVAILABLE;

PARIS - NOVEMBER 14 - EVENING AVAILABLE;

MADRID - NOVEMBER 18 - EVENING AVAILABLE;

MADRID - NOVEMBER 19 - NOON AVAILABLE;

DUBLIN - NOVEMBER 22 - EARLY EVENING AVAILABLE PRIOR
TO SCHEDULED EVENT.

-- ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE ADVISE WHAT FUNCTION POSTS
FEEL APPROPRIATE SOONEST SO THAT CODEL CAN BE INFORMED
FOR PLANNING PURPOSES.

5. WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE SOONEST NAME OF CONTROL OFFICER
EACH POST IN ORDER GIVE DATO EMBASSY CONTACT. KISSINGER

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